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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: A METHOD FOR AUDITING A DATABASE AND SYSTEM FOR CARRYING OUT SUCH METHOD

Enclosed are:

Sixteen (16) pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.

Six (6) sheets of drawing.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

A Recordation of Assignment Request and an Assignment of the invention to Pitney Bowes Incorporated, 1 Elmcroft Road, Stamford, Connecticut 06926-0700.

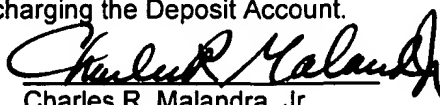
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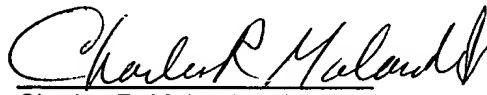
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